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**NATHAN et al**

Serial No. **08/817,438**

Filed: **October 2, 1997**

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IMPLEMENTED BY SAID SYSTEM**

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**AMENDMENT**

In response to the Office Action dated December 22, 1998, the period for response having been extended two (2) months by petition herewith, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**IN THE ABSTRACT:**

Please add the Abstract of the Disclosure attached hereto on a separate sheet.

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please delete the specification in its entirety and substitute therefor the attached Substitute Specification. A marked-up copy of the specification as filed is enclosed for the Examiner's convenience.

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This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

**Fees are attached as calculated below:**

Total effective claims after amendment	<b>12</b>	minus highest number			
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Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this paper and attachment(s) (\$ 110.00 /1 month; \$380.00/2 months; \$870.00/3 months)					\$ 380.00
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